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In re Application of:

Mark McQueen

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STRUCTURE FOR INTEGRATED
CIRCUIT DEVICES (AS AMENDED)

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Examiner: J. Fenty

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Office Action mailed June 20, 2003, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expires on September 20, 2003.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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